

## CENSUS TAKERS TO BE ENGAGED

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 21.—Forty-five thousand enumerators out of a grand total of 65,000 will be engaged April 15th next in gathering the required information concerning agriculture for the Thirtieth Decennial U. S. census. Director Durand purposes making every effort to secure progressive farmers and crop reporters for these places. His action is based upon the recommendations of chief statistician Legrand Powers and the advisory board of special agents composed of professors of economics and farm experts who have been assisting in the formulation of the schedule of inquiries concerning farm operations and equipment. It is believed that the selection of this class of men, already familiar familiar with statistical methods of securing data and reporting it in comprehensible form, will add greatly to the efficiency of the census and to the scientific value of the information obtained. Director Durand does not anticipate any difficulty in procuring enumerators of this kind as there are in every state of the Union, hundreds of crop reporters, acting for the department of agriculture, representatives of state boards of agriculture, etc.

The agricultural schedule which is to be placed in the hands of these enumerators is nearing completion by the Census Bureau. The advisory board who are acquainted with practical agriculture, its varying conditions, and who are active in their respective states in assisting the farmers to improve their farm methods, have been most earnest and no effort is being spared to make the schedule as simple as possible, and yet secure the greatest amount of information concerning agriculture.

By means of the census schedule an effort will be made to secure the accurate statement of the total number of acres of land in the farms of the country, by states and counties; also the improved area, number and size of farms. On account of the growing importance of tenancy in many parts of the country, considerable information will be secured as to whether farms are operated by owners, tenants or hired managers. Information about the value of the farm, buildings, and other permanent improvements; and of the farm equipment, both machinery, implements, and live stock will be secured.

**LITTLE OLD NEW YORK GOOD ENOUGH FOR DEPEW**

PARIS, Sept. 21.—Chauncey M. Depew, now in Paris, has been annoyed by the reports published in the United States that he intends to go to California and live with a nephew, C. M. Depew. He says he has no such nephew.

Mr. Depew will sail for New York Oct. 2 to take part in the mayoralty campaign, and he will open his house in Washington Dec. 1, when he will resume his senatorial duties.

"New York has treated me pretty well for seventy-five years," Senator Depew said today, "and I intend to round out the century on the banks of the Hudson."

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## WOMEN LIKE A TUB BATH SO THEY CAN SPLASH

CINCINNATI, Sept. 21.—Examiner Henry Waddell, who has been examining public bath houses, has completed a unique report to Gov. Harmon, in which he asks that women be pleaded with to use shower baths and to save the city thousands of dollars by so doing.

He says that it costs the city or state 2 cents to bathe the ordinary man at the bath house. That's because he will use the shower, "but will woman do this? No, sires, not woman. Only fifteen out of 10,000 who bathed here the past year consented to use the shower," he says. They like to get in a tub and splash around, he continues, and it costs the people nine and one-half cents for this operation. While the shower bath is far more healthy than the tub you might as well talk to Mars as make the average woman believe that, he finds. Tubs for women and showers for men are all that will "take."

## MRS. SAGE OFFERS \$500,000 TO SPREAD THE BIBLE

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 21.—That Mrs. Russell Sage will give \$500,000 to the Methodist church provided the church raises a like amount by Jan. 1, 1910, and this amount to be used in spreading the bible over the world, developed at the annual meeting of the American Bible society, held in the fifty-eighth annual session of the Northwest Indiana Conference here today.

The church is trying to raise \$5,000,000 by 1916 for the purpose of spreading the bible into every nook and corner of the world, and the donation of Mrs. Sage and a sum raised by the church will form the first million of this sum.

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